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AFTER THE BATTLE

Public Feeling in the States.

C. P. HUNTINGTON INTERVIEWED.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—C. P. Huntington said to a reporter this afternoon, when asked his opinion on the general business outlook: "I think we have left the worst behind us, and brighter times are ahead. The present condition of business is not half so bad as the past."

"What is your opinion of Cleveland?"

"Cleveland is a safe man. Of course I do not include the party he represents in saying this. The democratic party will never be as safe as the republican. Cleveland's election is generally conceded by business men. At any rate the feeling of uncertainty as to the result is confined to but few, and has not affected business to any extent."

"How will a change in the administration affect railroad interests?"

"Not in the least. As soon as the excitement over the election has completely died out I look for an increase of tariff. It is not in the power of any one man to steal this country, you know."

A well known Wall street broker, formerly a Californian, said: "The general-feeling of uncertainty over the result of the election is hurting business. There is nothing at all doing in stocks, and will not be, in my opinion, for some time. I know of English merchants who have contermanded large orders, upon learning that Cleveland was likely to be elected. Other merchants are restricting their orders, pending the official count. The uncertain election, together with the rate war on trunk lines, will undoubtedly cause a general depression on the whole street.

THE NEGROES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—A Nashville dispatch says: Nearly all the negroes in this city and doubtless throughout the entire south seem to think some dire calamity is going to befall them, owing to the defeat of Blaine. He was, almost without exception, their candidate, there being scarcely any such thing as a democratic negro. It is almost pitiable to observe their dejection.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—A special to the World concerning the destructive fire at Eufaula, Alabama, says it was most undoubtedly the work of negroes, and is another evidence of the dangerous excitement existing among this race since the election of Cleveland. While this state of affairs will probably die out before bloodshed results, the situation is far from being pleasant. It has already cost over $1,000,000 in the south, as exemplified in the Palatka, Florida, and Eufaula, Alabama, conflagrations.

THE "SUN'S" OPINION.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The Sun, "looking over the political field," concludes that the republican party is in better condition than before the election. It says the losses it has suffered through the withdrawal of the independents have been made up by accessions of Irishmen and workingmen, who went over from the democrats in large numbers. There never before was a party which gained at once such a body of earnest and valuable material from the very bone and sinew of the country.

THE DEMOCRATS AFRAID OF TAMMANY.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The Star (regarded as Tammany's organ) says: The Tammany hall committee of seven, appointed on the part of the Tammany organization, to watch the canvass of the electoral ticket, held a long conference this evening with the chairmen of the democratic national and state committees, to positively deny the existence of any deal between Tammany hall and the republican alderman, affecting the presidential count. Ex-Senator Foster, chairman of the delegation, satisfied the representatives of both parties that the Tammany supervisors would permit no action in the board which would lose the democratic electoral ticket a single vote."

THE STARS AND STRIPES PULLED DOWN.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—A nashington special to the Times says: Considerable excitement has been caused here by reports bp the tearing down of the stars and stripes of Richmond rowdies, the stoning of government buildings at Frankfort, Kentucky, and an attack on Baltimore letter carriers by drunken democrats. Since theae occurrences many explanatory letters have been received from all the points named, stating that the perpetrators of rudianism were miserable, drunken roughs, and that there acts are by no means any evidence of a pravailing sentiment against the flag of the Union.

A WESTERN MAN'S OPINION.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The Tribune says: Gen. J. P. Root of Chicago stated yesterday that western people simply believe that New York state has been fairly and squarely carried for Blaine, and are confident that the official count will show as much. "We believe in the west New York ought honestly to be counted for Blaine, and we shall not rest satisfied until it is so counted. The Irish-American vote for Blaine in Chicago was heavy and solid. Several thousand democrats who voted for the first time cast their maiden votes for the republican s.'"

THE INDEPENDENTS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.- The independent republican committee of 100 met to-night in the Brooklyn Academy of Music. President Maxwell well said the question to be decided was whether the organization should be made permanent. He was in favor of this, for the purpose of holding the balance of power between the parties.

Beecher said he was also in favor of making the organization permanent. In local matters he was a republican; in national, a democrat. He believed Cleveland had been elected by the independents, and every man who helped put him in the presidential chair was bound to support him, until he had done something to forfeit their support. They should keep the organization intact, ready to be summoned at the sound of the trumpet.

SIR JOHN'S MISSION.

Proposal to Bestow Subsidies with a Lavish Hand.

MONTREAL, Nov. 7.—The feeling is gaining ground that Sir John's trip to England with Mr. George Stephen is solely in the interests of the C. P. R. There is a report in railway circles and among politicians to-day, that the Syndicate are trying to come to some terms with the Montreal Ocean Shipping for the use of several of their steamers for the China-Japan trade. The story is given prominence to in an article to-day in the Times, in which it points out that Sir John and Mr. Stephen are endeavoring to negotiate a loan of $10,000,000, with the aid of Mr. Andrew Allan, who for the use of some of the Allan steamers is to be recouped with 4,000,000 acres of picked laid in the North-West, and to the building of his North west railway, a guarantee of 2½ per cent. interest on the loan of $10,000,000 is to be secured by the Allan Co. It is also said that the Dominion Government will be asked to give a subsidy for the steamship line to Japan from $250,000 to $400,000 per annum. As a prominent politician and railway man said to-day, this scheme will consolidate the C. P. R. and Montreal Ocean Steamship Co., and make it the strongest monopoly in the world, able to dicate terms to all United States lines and the Government.—Globe.

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

The lines of this great corporation are being extended so as to embrace sections of the country not heretofore covered by any railway. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul is the shortest and principal connection between St. Paul and all points east. Its passenger and freight accommodations are unrivalled, and persons and articles entrusted to their care have quick dispatch at the lowest rates. The country through which the company's lines run is noted for its fine scenery, a circumstance which has made the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul the favorite with tourists, as well as business travelers. Mr. Robt. Irving has been appointed at Victoria to sell tickets and give information concerning the line. *

SOMETHING SERIOUS IN A NAME.—The Russian Government has forbidden the use of the names of the members of the Imperial family by any but first-class steamers, it being held to be an offense against the Emperor to call a dirty cargo boat Alexander III. The Chief of the St. Petersburg police has also ordered the proprietors of all hotels, restaurants, and tea houses to remove the portraits of the Emperor and other members of the Imperial family from their public rooms, because their customers do not always show the proper respect to the representations of the Imperial features by taking off their hats immediately on entering and leaving the premises.

Foreign News and Gossip.

The Metropolitan Railroad in London runs 1,211 trains a day.

Edward King says French morals are improving under the Republican rule.

The United States ship Monocacy is shut up in the Min river by the French blockade.

During the last ten years Italy has expended $100,000,000 on monster war vessels.

A new Hungarian ballet at the opera in Paris is to represent a storm with novel and extraordinary effects.

The extension of censorship in Russia now takes in all libraries, and the objectionable literature is excluded.

London swells have commenced wearing the double-breasted sack coat again, which is a sort of refined edition of the pea-jacket.

Some of the great ship-building yards on the Clyde have reduced the number of workmen one-half owing to stagnation in business.

English noblemen now have the sails of their yachts embroidered in the style in favor among the Egyptians hundred of years ago

All the winter resorts in France and Italy are advertising that such a thing as cholear was never heard of in that particular locality.

Since the cholera appeared in Italy last Summer to the 1st of October, when its violence abated, 19,762 cases and 9,824 deaths occurred.

In Germany a man dare not cut down the trees on his own land without consent of the proper authorities, so zealous is the Government in preserving the forests.

The Regency Council of the Duchy of Brunswick refused to countersign the manifesto of the Duke of Cumberland, assuming the government of the duchy.

It is reported that at the close of the present session of Parliament the Right Hon. Hugh C. Childers, Chancellor of the Exchequer, will be elevated to the peerage.

Italy proposes to adopt gold as it monetary unit. Since resumption its specie circulation has not been large only one-seventh being in silver, as required for small change.

Great preparations are being made in Denmark and Norway to celebrate the bi-centenary of the birth of Ludvig Holberg, the father of the Danish stage on December 3d.

The banking firm of Rothschild in London employ women exclusively as coupon counters, and experience shows that they are far more reliable and intelligent than male employes.

Stoke Parke, at the village of Stoke Poges, Buckinghamshire, the church of which, immortalized by the poet Gray, stands within the grounds, has been offered for sale in England.

From 1863 to 1883 the lottery players turned into the Royal Italian Treasury two hundred and seventy-five millions of dollars. Count Cavour used to call the lottery "the tax on fools."

Drinking habits increase so much in Germany that in many places there is a liquorshop to every thirty-one inhabitants. In Hamburg the proportion reaches one to seventy-one, and in Berlin one to every 116 persons.

A Swiss mountaineer has made a bet with a wealthy Englishman that he can make tour of Europe on foot, visiting every separate country, inside of twelve months, to start on January 1, 1885. The wager is for a thousand pounds, with expenses.

The telephone is more employed in Stockholm than in London. Shopkeepers place it at the convenience of customers. All business houses employ the telephone freely. The hotels communicate with one another and with the houses of business.

An ingenious plan resorted to by the cabowners in Berlin to prevent their horses being overworked is to let the cabs with even numbers go out at a certain hour on the even days of the month, and the cabs with odd numbers upon odd days. This division of labor is found to work very well.

The most extraordinary thing in names was given in the Eastern Daily Press, Norwich, Eng., Monday July 21st, where it is recorded that a dealer at Newton St. Faith's was summoned to show cause why his child, "Shelomith Bathsheba Adora Bone," should not be vaccinated. The mere name ought to be a sufficient protection against small pox or any other plague.

Chinese and Japanese Goods.

The King Tye Co. have just received per bark Wildwood, from China and Japan, a large lot of No. 1 quality of Black and Green Teas, which will be sold cheap. Also a large and varied assortment of Chinese and Japanese Fancy Silk, Chinaware, Lacquered ware, Fancy Matting, etc, which will be on exhibition in a few days.

THE KING TYE CO.
tf Cormorant street.

I. X. L. Clothing Store.

The public are invited to inspect our well selected stock of clothing, just arrived. Men's, boys' and youths' suits, overcoats and ulsters, made expressly for this market in the latest European and American styles. Also hats in brown and black direct from Christy's and Stetson. Furnishing goods—Silk handkerchiefs, ties, collars, silk umbrellas, gloves, etc. Every article guaranteed as represented.

I. X. L. Store, corner Government and Johnson streets. T. L. DAVIES, Manager.

DEATH'S STING.

A Physician who has Found There is no Physical Pain.

Dr. G. L. Beardsley, in the Medical and Surgical Reporter, concludes that the dread of dying is quite as intense as the instinct of self preservation. Indeed, it is not improbable, adds the doctor, that numbers would care less about living were the modes of leaving the world a theme for happy contemplation, or an innovation to the routine of plodding that was agreeable. One is remarkably exempt from the crime of hasty induction if he affirms that there is no sane or healthy mortal who anticipates his extinction with any degree of pleasure. The function of dying is absolutely vegetative—we fall to pieces like a flower. This very fact, that the process is chemical, confirms us in the conclusion that the final "throe" is as painless as the inconvenience is nothing to the foetal pilgrim when he touches on daylight. A moment's examination of the way we are to die will show marks of goodness in our "taking off." The degree of sensibility is proportioned to the integrity of the tissues. An inflammation heightens it; age depreciates it. Any defect in nutrition disturbs the comfort of the individual until the carbonic acid generated in the devitilization of the blood becomes fixed in the cells or is no longer displaced. The sensory ganglia everywhere part with their irritability by virtue of this poison, and cease to conduct currents. The criteria of death are being satisfied, and the process is consummated when this extinction of sensibility prevails at the ultimate filaments. During the progress of this dissolution of the nerve force, this creeping on of numbness of death, the individual is rapidly passing into a condition of repose, and instead of torture or pangs, a degree of self satisfaction oft approaching to enthusiasm is realized. The sensations peculiar to the therapeutical operation of opium, hashish, ether, etc., are not probably akin to the mental activities of the dying. Barring the hallucinations experienced in the stupor as it gains on the subject, the moribund is familiar with naught that bordies on suffering. The carbonic acid has poisoned or narcotized the several ganglia, and reflex productions are interdicted. A consummate analgesia prevails. In short, the notion of pain is forbidden the instant that any stimulus fails to excite a response. The condition to this irritability is that the nerve center and track be sound. If this vigor vanishes, reflex phenomena are at an end, and suffering, physiologically speaking, is impossible, because of the arrest of the sympathetic.

Fortunately, for a wholesome study of one's demise, there are assurances abundant, from vivisection, the testimony of those who have been restored to consciousness, the affirmations of the dying, that there is no physical recoil from death. Burney tried hard to resist the efforts made to resuscitate him from drowning so bewitched was he by his prolonged slumber. Dr. Solander, the traveler, was so delighted with the sensations of excessive cold, that he was the first to lie down in the snow to realize the luxury of such a death. Wm. Hunter was sorry he was not able to "write how easy and delightful it is to die." Infants die as serenely as they breathe, and not a few among the advanced in years treat death as a friend to their infirmities. Hanging is naturally rated, next to crucifixion, a most distressing procedure. But it is reported of those who have been saved from strangulation, that the agony promised to be brief, and was rapidly replaced by hallucinations of a fascinating variety.

One would fain believe that the kind God who suffered us to feel no sight in coming would take no delight in turning our farewell into writhing—nay, he does not quite us at the last. He is our greatest benefactor in allowing us to sleep out of weariness. Death is, assuredly, no tax collector; its "jaws" are not the clutches of an assailant; there is no "victory to the grave;" the ghost speeds away from us as it entered, with no ruffle. The sense of death, as Shakespeare has it, is most in apprehension. It is the fear of the lonely night, not the throes of nature, that makes the leaving painfal.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN AT DENBIGH.—"A London Clergyman" writes;—"I am not a politician, but I have read the concluding words of Mr. Chamberlain's speech at Denbigh with some interest Mr. Chamberlain tells us that he is a descendant of one of the 2,000 ministers ejected in 1662, and as such he has an account to settle with the House of Lords. If Mr. Chamberlain is going to settle accounts, let him in all justice begin just a few years before 1662, and see if there is not an account to settle in respect to the 7,000 lawfully-appointed clergy whom his ancestors so cruelly displaced, starved, imprisoned, or drove into exile. Let him read. "Walker's sufferings of the Clergy" or "Neal's Puritans," and his indignation may probably be diverted from its present exclusive channel."

Customs and Legal Blanks

Of every description for sale at *The Colonist* office.

TENDERS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

WHOLE AND SEPARATE TENDERS WILL BE received up to THURSDAY, November 20th, at 12 m., for the completion of two two-story residences on Birdcage Walk, James Bay.

We reserve the right to reject any and all tenders.

S. C. BUSKIS, Architect.
no12 Cor. Yates and Broad Sts. (Upstairs)

NOTICE.

TO BRIDGE CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, PROPERLY ENDORSED, will be received by the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to Noon of FRIDAY, 5th December next, for the construction of a Bridge across the Thompson River, at Barnes' Station.

The total length of the bridge will be about 600 feet, in which there will be two spans of 200 feet each.

Separate tenders will be received on two different designs—a Pratt Truss Combination Bridge, and a Howe Truss Bridge.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and forms for tender and agreement to execute a bond obtained, at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, on and after Tuesday, the 18th instant.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 12th Nov., 1884. no14

PUBLIC NOTICE.

YALE DISTRICT.

SOUTH THOMPSON RIVER FERRY

SEALED TENDERS, PROPERLY ENDORSED, will be received by the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works, up to noon of WEDNESDAY, 31st December next, for the right of maintaining a Ferry, for a term of five years, across the South Thompson River, at a point near the confluence of the North and South Branches of the Thompson River.

The ferry right to extend from the said confluence of the rivers a distance of two miles up the South Thompson.

Tenders are to state the capacity of the boat proposed to be used, the rent proposed to be paid to the Government, and the rate of toll to be collected for every—

Foot passenger,
Team, with waggon and driver,
Horse and mule,
Loaded animal,
Head of beef cattle,
Sheep, pig or goat,
Hundred pounds weight of freight.

With each tender must be submitted the names of two responsible parties willing to sign a bond for the sum of $500 as security for the faithful carrying out of the contract.

All officers of the Provincial Government, with their animals and freight, to pass free.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B C., 10th Nov., 1884. no14

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

TENDERS FOR STATION BUILDINGS

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned, and endorsed, "Tender for Combined Passenger and Freight Buildings," will be received until Noon on

The 19th November, 1884,

From persons wishing to Furnish and Erect

Three Combined Passenger and Freight Buildings

Along the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway in British Columbia,

BETWEEN EMORY BAR AND SAVONA FERRY,

At North Bend, at Chinaman's Ranch, opposite 93-Mile Post, on Waggon Road, and at Pennie's Ranch.

Plans and Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the undersigned in Victoria, Vancouver Island, and also at the office of the Engineer in charge at Dry-ooch, near Spence Bridge, on and after Saturday, 8th November instant.

Each Tender must be accompanied by a deposit equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender. This deposit may consist of cash, or of an accepted bank cheque, and it will be forfeited if the party tendering neglects or refuses to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if after entering into the contract he fails to complete the work satisfactorily according to the plan and specification.

If the tender is not accepted the deposit will be returned.

Tenders must be made on the printed forms supplied.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

JOSEPH W. TRUTCH,
Dom. Government Agent.

Office Dom. Govt. Agent,
Victoria, B.C., 3rd Nov., 1884. no5

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ESTATE OF WILLIAM REID, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS indebted to the estate of the above deceased, or who have any of his effects, that they are required to make payment or delivery of the same, as the case may be, to the undersigned administrator of the estate, or his solicitors, to whom also all claims against the estate are to be forwarded.

Dated Nov. 1st, 1884. JOHN IRVINE, Administrator.
Or DAVIE & WILSON, Solicitors.
no2 1m

FALL ASSIZE--SHERIFF'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL CORONERS, Keepers of Gaols and Houses of Correction in my Bailiwick are required to attend the Assize on MONDAY, the 24th instant, at 11 o'clock a. m. Herein fail not.

By order. THOS. HARRIS, Sheriff.
Victoria, B.C., Nov. 14th, 1884. no15

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OFFICE:—Old Masonic Building, over Messrs. Wilson & Co.'s Dry Goods Store, Government street.

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OFFICE HOURS—9 a. m., 5 p. m. mh26

A. C. WEST, SURGEON DENTIST,

ALL OPERATIONS PERFORMED IN A SKILful manner. Dental Rooms—Denny's building, Government street. my31 1m

T. J. JONES, L. D. S.,

GRADUATE AND MEMBER OF ROYAL College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, Moody's Block, corner of Yates and Broad streets.

☞ All Dental Operations performed in a skillful manner.

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SEVERAL DESIRABLE LOTS FOR SALE ON very easy terms of payment. The lots are clear and dry; the soil good.

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NOTICE.

To Applicants for the Purchase of Land.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL Claims of applicants to purchase land under the provisions of the Acts repealed by the "Land Act, 1884," will cease and determine on Tuesday, the 18th of November next. And that all the provisions of the said Acts, including payment, must be complied with on or before that date.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B. C., 30th Oct., 1884. oc31

KWONG LEE & CO.---A CARD.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE COLONIST:—SIR,—In your issue of the 11th inst., you give what purports to be an account of a meeting of Chinese merchants to consider the points at variance between myself and Loo Chew Fan. The facts have been incorrectly stated. My brother, Loo Chew Fan, desires to take possession of the property of my firm, of which I am the sole owner. I don't see, when the matters in dispute are in litigation, that it is anybody's business to interfere. I have been carrying on business here since 1858, and if I am wrong in the views I hold it is not a meeting got up by interested persons that is likely to set me right.

Yours faithfully,
LOO CHUCK FAN
Victoria, Nov. 12th, 1884. no13 1w

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JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE A SMALL lot of Extra Choice Eastern Township Butter in Small Tubs. Also, CREAM CHEESE.

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RAILWAYS.

ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO R. R.

CONTRACTOR'S OFFICE,
VICTORIA, Sept. 22, 1884.

SCHEDULE OF WAGES

FOR WHITE LABOR ON THE ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO RAILWAY.

Rock Foreman	$3 00 to $4 00	per day	
Earth Foreman	2 50	3 00	"
Bridge Foreman	3 50	4 00	"
Bridge Carpenters		3 00	"
Blacksmiths, 1st class		3 50	"
Drillers	2 00	2 25	"
Laborers	1 75	2 00	"
Hewers		3 00	"
Choppers	1 75	2 00	"

All outside labor ten hours per day.

All carpenters to furnish their own chest tools.

All employes find themselves bed, board and lodging.

Boarding Houses will be convenient along the line.

Board, $4 per week.

It will not be compulsory for employees to board in the company's houses.

Wages will be paid monthly on the 15th of each month.

GRAHAM & BUSK,
se23tf Contractors.

OFFICE OF THE CONTRACTORS

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

YALE, March 1st, 1883.

NEW SCHEDULE OF WAGES FOR WHITE LABOR

—ON THE—

Canadian Pacific Railway

IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Overseers	$125 ₱ month	
Rock Foreman	$3 to $4 ₱ day	
Earth Foremen	$2 50 to $3	"
Bridge Foremen	$3 50 to $4	"
Bridge Carpenters (1st class)	$3 50	"
do do (2d class)	$3	"
Masons	$2 50 to $3 50	"
Stonecutters	$3 to $3 50	"
Blacksmiths (1st class)	$3 50	"
do (2d class)	$3	"
Drillers	$2 to $2 25	"
Laborers	$1 75 to $2	"
Hewers	$3 50	"
Choppers	$2 to $2 50	"

All outside labor 10 hours per day.

All carpenters to furnish their own chest tools.

All employés find themselves bed, board nd lodging.

Boarding Houses will be convenient along the line.

Board $5 per week.

It will not be compulsory for employés to board in the Company's houses

Wages will be paid monthly on the 10th of each month.

A. ONDERDONK,
mh7 General Manager.

OREGON RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COMPANY.

TIME TABLE.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS.

Leaves Victoria at	5.00 a.m.
Arrives at New Tacoma at	6.00 p.m
Arrives at Portland at	8.45 a.m.
Leaves Portland at	11.40 a.m.
Arrives at Walla Walla at	2.03 a.m.
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SEWERAGE.

In previous articles on this subject the proposition to ask authority from the local legislature to raise a loan of $800,000 for drainage purposes has been advanced; but it was distinctly stated that if the great want could be obtained by the expenditure of a less sum than $800,000 there would be no occasion to spend the larger sum. This proposition has met with some opposition; but not, it is pleasant to observe, of a very influential character. The first of the objectors was no less a personage than one of the carriers of our slightly esteemed morning contemporary, who proposed that to secure perfect health it is necessary to throw "excrements" (*excreta?*) and "filth" upon the ground, and "scatter it around." To prove the efficacy of his system, Carrier Tuckfield indicated "Shanghai, Hongkong, and Chinatown here," where the people wallow in bad drainage, and actually wax fat by inhaling foul odors. We confess that the examples produced by this eminent writer on smells and sewerage have not convinced us that his system is entitled to even respectful consideration, in the face of the experience of Paris, London, Liverpool, New York, etc., where underground drainage has reduced the death-rate thirty per cent., and where every year the mains are being extended and improved. The people will doubtless be more disposed to follow in the footsteps of civilized communities than to adopt the example of barbaric cities whose nastiness has passed into a proverb and whose unkempt condition forms a bill of indictment in all books of travels published concerning them. But, Mr. Tuckfield, who has delivered his opinion as to the healthfulness of the odors which now captivate his senses and challenge his admiration, on the 22nd of August last appeared before the Chinese commission and preferred a charge of filthiness against the Chinese of Victoria. Now, if filth "when scattered around" is so pleasant to Mr. Tuckfield's organization and so invigorating to his system generally, how did it come that less than three months ago he made the existence of that very filth in which he now (metaphorically) laves, the gravaman of a serious charge against Victoria's Chinatown? But enough of Mr. Tuckfield's sweet scents in which his soul rejoiceth and his inconsistencies. The only other objector to a system of thorough drainage is our esteemed contemporary himself. And what does that worthy gentleman propose instead? Open gutters and earth-closets! The first exists now, with the most lamentable effects to the public health; and the last are required by a by-law which few householders observe; but in no case is their failure more marked than in that of our contemporary who allows his closet to remain in a condition so dangerous that two of his workmen have died in consequence and now "sleep their last sleep" in Ross Bay Cemetery! Were a system of sewerage provided the poisonous matter that now emanates from the Standard office and other establishments and infects the whole city would be carried off into the sea and no town would be purer or freer from malaria than Victoria. Open drains are condemned except in mountain towns where there is a heavy grade and where a swift running stream can be utilized for flushing purposes. Unfortunately Victoria is deficient in those natural advantages and must depend always on artificial means. The assertion that *The Colonist* is the representative of a "ring" who, wish to manipulate the loan, is worthy of the editor who could crack a joke on the coffin of one of his workmen who had just been poisoned by his "earth closet," and who, having no family of little ones to be killed by decaying vegetable and animal deposits, can resort to disreputable insuendoes and charges to prevent a revision of the assessment roll. For our part we disclaim any but a public motive in urging this subject on our fellow-citizens; but supposing that the motives of *The Colonist* and those who think with it are corrupt, let the real estate owners bear in mind that no system of drainage can be adopted or loan obtained until it shall have been passed through the seive of public opinion at an election specially called for the purpose. This is the ratepayers' safeguard. If the next mayor and council prove to be ringsters and present a bad scheme it will be rejected as sure as the $100,000 loan bylaw was rejected last summer. The citizens cannot go wrong in selecting men who will be pledged to a revision of the real estate assessment roll so that your DeCosmoses and your Olivers and other large holders of real estate in and about Chinatown may be made to contribute their fair share towards the civic revenue and then if it should become necessary to effect a loan for drainage purposes, interest and sinking fund will be met without an increase in the rate of taxation.

SOME QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

SALEM, Oregon, Nov. 14, 1884.

TO THE EDITOR:—Will you please answer a few questions through your paper: How are times in Victoria? Is it decided where the terminus of the C. P. R. is to be? Is there any tax on capital, and what is the rate of interest on first-rate security? What is land worth per acre just outside the city limits? Are taxes high? Is the Island railway in progress now, or is it completed? Is the dry dock commenced yet? What about sports—hunting, fishing, etc.? Are there any good trout streams near the city, and any coasts near the city where the fall of tide leaves the sands dry for some distance out? What sort of game and fish can be had—any oysters? How are the roads; are there pleasant drives? and lastly, how is the climate? THEODORE SIMPSON.

[(1.) It is still undecided whether the terminus of the C. P. R. will be at Port Moody or at Coal Harbor, but the practical terminus of the line will, of course, be Victoria. (2.) There is no tax on capital here, and eight per cent. is the usual rate on good security. (3.) Good land outside the city from $100 to $500 an acre, according to situation. (4.) City taxes are only one per cent. (5.) Work is rapidly progressing on the Island railway, which is expected to be completed in 1886. (6.) The contract for the dry dock has been signed by an Ottawa firm, and the work will be begun in the spring. (7.) There is every inducement to sportsmen. During the hunting season, deer and grouse and all the smaller game are plentiful and a daring hunter often encounters a bear. Nearly all the streams and lakes abound in trout. (8) Near Beacon Hill, and at Cadboro, Cordova, Fowl and Telegraph Bays there are good beaches. (9) All kinds of game can be had in season, and we pride ourselves on our fish, of which almost every variety is to be had; salmon, halibut, cod, trout, soles, whiting, perch and others. Oysters are being raised up the Arm, a short distance from the city, and there are many native beds. (10) Our roads are kept in fine condition, and in every direction there are beautiful drives extending for many miles. All who come here pronounce the climate delightful. We have no extremes of heat and cold, no high winds, very little fog, and, until the last few weeks, no malaria. Chills and fever and ague are unknown, and the sickness now prevailing can only be attributed to the bad condition of the drains. Immediate steps are to be taken to provide the city with a good system of sewerage.—ED. COLONIST.]

Sewerage.

TO THE EDITOR:—Your advocacy of a loan and a thorough sewerage system, together with other needed improvements beyond the capacity of our ordinary civic revenue, must commend itself to the mind of every intelligent and thoughtful citizen. To attempt to build up a large or healthy city without a proper system of sewerage is utter folly—the opinions and nasty theories of such *excrementalists* as Stevenson and Tuckfield to the contrary, notwithstanding.

I observe in this morning's issue of your contemporary a very characteristic article on the subject, in which you are charged with being the "cat's-paw for a ring" desirous of running the city in debt for their own purposes.

Now, this seems to me to be a very childish attempt to excite suspicion and alarm for the purpose of preventing a loan and sewerage. What possible object, other than a legitimate one, could you (yourself a large property-owner) and those whose views you advocate have in carrying out such a scheme? It would be less wild and far-fetched to suspect the editor of the Standard of being influenced by selfish and ignoble motives in opposing the loan and sewerage scheme. If I am correctly informed, his property lies in that part of the city commonly known as Chinatown, and, consequently, his income is chiefly derived from Chinese, who rent ground and dilapidated cabins for nasty purposes. Of course, one can see at a glance that the class of tenants he has for the most part prefer living in filth to paying appreciated rentals and enjoying good drainage. Thus, any additional taxation consequent upon a large loan would lessen his profits on his holdings.

Now, I do not wish to be understood as suggesting that the above-mentioned circumstances account for the opposition of the Standard to the scheme of a loan and thorough drainage; but I do think they show that the editor of that paper "lives in a glass house," so to speak, and, consequently, should not "throw stones"—should not be so ready to accuse you, and those who think with you, of being actuated by improper motives.

It may well be assumed that the necessity for the immediate introduction of a thorough system of sewerage is fully conceded by the great body of the people, and the question of the hour is, How shall it be accomplished?

If any better plan than a loan can be suggested, let us have it, by all means; but, I confess, I cannot think what other plan can be devised. The precise amount of the loan is, of course, an open question. If asked for an opinion, I should suggest half a million. At five per cent. that would represent $25,000 a year. Putting the community at two thousand families or households, that would come to a dollar a month to each family. Now, on an average, does sickness arising from the bad sanitary condition of the city cost less than that in loss of time, medicines, doctors' bills and life?

I thoroughly agree with you respecting the desirableness of revising the assessment roll. Were that done upon the principle of equalizing, levelling up, the gain would, in my opinion, be equal to the interest on the loan necessary for carrying out a sewerage system. Here, then, we have, from these two sources, twice the sum required, and nobody hurt—no appreciable increase of taxation, with the concomitant advantages of a large expenditure of money within the city and the acquisition of a reputation calculated to attract, instead of repel, population.

But it would be mere affectation to attempt to conceal the fact that the want of confidence in the civic administration has much to do with the reluctance of this community to launch out into any large expenditure. I am free to confess that I should hesitate to entrust such a scheme as I have been advocating to the class of men who have for some time been dominant at the civic board. It was that feeling which was a factor in defeating the late loan bylaw, and I am confident that there would be a strong disinclination to launch the sewerage scheme unless there were a material improvement in the *personnel* of the council. RATEPAYER.

For Intending Settlers.

TO THE EDITOR:—I hope you will allow me room to answer a few questions that are continually being asked of me in regard to the country. I am asked if there is plenty of good farming and timber land, and whether minerals are really plentiful. I am also asked a good many questions about Alberni. For the benefit of those unacquainted with the geography of the country I will state that Alberni is situated at the head of an arm of the sea running in from the west coast of Vancouver Island. This arm is forty or fory-five miles long and is called Barclay Sound. The laagest ships could sail to the head of this sound. The beautiful valley of Alberni at the head of the sound is from ten to fifteen miles long and on an average of five miles wide. It is almost all timbered land, but some of it will be quite easy to clear and bring under cultivation as it is chiefly alder bottom, as it is called. There are now twenty-eight settlers in the district, all of whom have a large piece of alder wood in their 160 acres. The soil is black and heavy. There was some prairie land which the first ten or twelve settlers took up. But there is lots of the timber land still to be taken up, one acre of which is worth three of the prairie land. The Somas river is a beautiful stream, rises in the mountains and flows south into the head of Barclay Sound. Steam schooners could ascend this river for 2½ miles beyond which it is navigable for canoes and boats for 10 miles further. It abounds with different kinds of fish, the salmon prevailing in numbers. Along this river there is a good deal of land to be had. The government have just completed a trunk road up the centre of the valley, and are now seeking the best route between Victoria via Alberni, to establish a mail delivery. It will not run oftener than twice a month, or perhaps only once a month at first; but as the valley settles up the service will be increased. To go to Alberni by way of Nanaimo and the Big Qualicum river it is 144 miles; 80 miles to Nanaimo, 42 from Nanaimo to Qualicum, then on foot 22 miles on a good trail over the mountain. To intending settlers I may say that there is room for 90 or 100 more at Alberni, and there are several flat sections of land suitable for farming along the east coast of Vancouver Island from Nanaimo to Big Qualicum where several farmers have settled during the past summer. Between Comox and the mouth of the Campbell river, a distance of 85 miles, and on Denman and Hornby Islands there is good land to be had, and also in Cowichan river valley. As for minerals, I believe we have nearly all the minerals on Vancouver Island that can be found on the continent, and as for coal, the Island richly abounds with it. In regard to timber, I think I am not making too extravagant a statement when I say that if all the suitable timber on Vancouver Island could be sawn into fence lumber, with the cedar for posts, that it would doubtless fence all Manitoba from Winnipeg to the foot of the Rockies into 10-acre fields, and then leave us quite enough for home consumption; and if we should fall short a few hundred feet there would be the forests of the mainland for the C. P. R. to draw from. I will now close with the statement that I am always ready to give what information I can to all who wish to know anything about the country. WM. M. HALPENNY,
Government Guide.

Light on the Path.

"Truth crushed to earth will rise again,
The eternal years of God are hers."

TO THE EDITOR.—There is mention in your issue of yesterday, the 16th, that in London on the 4th of Nov. the "much enduring" Gladstone refreshed himself by attending a spiritualistic seance. What more natural than that a liberal and devout mind, septuagenarian, as he is known to be, should seek, as far as to us mortals is allowed, to pry into that future, hiding in itself "good hap and sorrow," as Goethe has it.

To his honor, be it said, he to whom the epithet of "grand old man" correctly applies, has ever acted up to his latest convictions, or, as the phrase is, has had "the courage" of them. Beginning as a high tory as well as high churchman, was he not also a Puseyite! he is now a liberal, just as advanced as his sober untrammeled judgemnt urges.

As for spiritualism, to repeat with entirely other application the exclamation of a persecuting bishop or inferior church dignitary, actually present at what was in truth an *auto da fe*, north of the Tweed, in the evil persecuting days of the second Charles and James, when men shrieked more than now over divers creeds, "the work goes bonnilee on."

Inquiry vastly increases. The reality of spiritual phenomena is generally admitted, although by the "unka good" Apollyon the "father of lies," is credited with their production. The only proofs of Auld Klooti's existence are found in very ancient writings, Hebriac and others, in Milton's poetry, not in his level headed prose, quite up to the day he lived in, and in barbarian and savage folklore abounding in tales of mischief-making demoniac monsters and imps destroyed by heroes like the Greek Hercules and Theseus, St. George, the Celtic Fingal Cuchullin, and a host besides.

In his last essays on "Church and Religion" well says Matthew Arnold, son of the much esteemed and world known Rev. Dr. Arnold, of Rugby: "The partisans of traditional religion in this country (United Kingdom) do not know, I think, how decisively the whole force of progressive and liberal opinion on the continent has pronounced against the Christian religion. They do not know how surely the whole force of progressive and liberal opinion in England tends to follow, so far as traditional religion is concerned, the opinion of the continent. They dream of patching up things unmendable. Things are what they are, and the religion of tradition, Catholic or Protestant, *is* unsound and untenable." (The italics are Arnold's). More than fifty years ago, in his "Constitution of Man," George Combe regarded it as axiomatic that truth, whencesoever derived, whether from religion or science, would be a harmonious whole without shadow of discord. True religion and undefiled, as in the New Testament defined, will ever grow and beautify, finding favor with our Supreme Father "who doeth all things well" and in whom we live, move and have our being.

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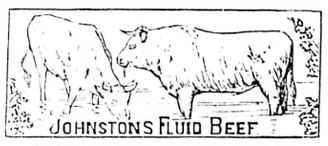

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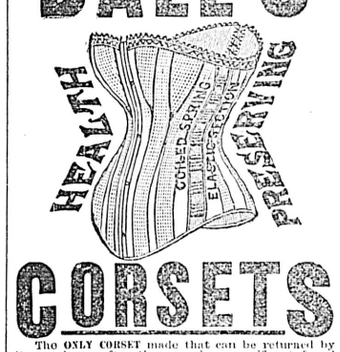

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JEWELLERY.

Gold Sleeve Buttons, Gold Sets of Studs and Sleeve Buttons, Gold Scarf Pins, Gold Lockets, Gold Scarf Rings, Gold Earrings, Gold Crosses, Gold and Silver Bracelets, Ivory Charms, Ivory Sleeve Buttons, Ivory Paper Knives, Watch Chains, Gold Rings and Brooches.

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Will be held in the PAVILION,

On the 2nd and 3rd December.

Contributions will be gratefully received, and may be sent to the Methodist Parsonage, Quadra street; Mrs. J. W. Williams, Blanchard Avenue; or to Mrs. Shakespeare, Broad street.

ADMISSION, 25 cents; Children, half-price. no14

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The Property of the late THOMAS SPELMAN.

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Good Stable 60x30, with hay-loft, small corral for milch cows. The house is well and suitably furnished throughout and has been newly painted.

The stock will be taken by the purchaser at invoiced prices with freight added.

The purchaser will have the option of purchasing the milch cows, horses, harness, wagon and sundry other effects connected with the hotel by private treaty.

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On or before the 7th December next. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For further particulars intending purchasers are referred to Mr. D. OPPENHEIMER, Victoria, who is well acquainted with the property and its surroundings. no14td

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TUESDAY MORNING, NOV. 18TH, 1884.

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PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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Nov. 17—Str Lottie, Roche Harbor
Str Mexico, Pt Townsend
Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Grace, West Coast

CLEARED.

Nov. 17—Str Lottie, Roche Harbor
Str Grace, Rivers Inlet
Str Mexico, San Francisco
Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend

PASSENGERS.

Per str GEO. E. STARR from Puget Sound—Geo Wright, W McLand, A M McIntyre, M Fallorofield, J Anigley, O Campbell, J B Haptington, E C Britain, H Jackson, J Desmermer, A B Fallowfield, 3 Indians, 10 Chinese.

Per ss MEXICO, for San Francisco—W G Cameron and wf, Miss J C Cameron, S O Brown, E A Leigh and wf, H A Duke, E R Anderson, D A Shannon, M P Barnes, wf and 3 ch, T O'Neill and wf, Mrs J Wilson, Mrs Evans, F P Wehe, Lo Gee Wing, Miss L O'Brien, L P Linfield, Jas McWhinney, Lo Chew Fan, TE Ladner, A Cameron, D McCoig, S U Daggell, Mrs Nesbitt and 2 ch, J P Hodgson, Mrs VanVolkenburgh and 2 daughters, and 25 in steerage.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—A Bullock, A Ofner, A Cowan, Albion Iron Works, Belmont B&S Factory, Baker & Fullerton, D Spencer, E J Salmon, Ferguson & Co, E G Prior, H & Young, G & B, Hamilton, Powder Wks, H Mansell, Gideon Roberts, H B Co, J T care of T Dunn, J Crawford, J H Todd & Co, J M Reed, J W Helleren, MB Atkinson, J Parker, M Miller, M Manson, Moore & Co, M W Waitt & Co, Neufelder & Ross, Welch, Rithet & Co, Oppenheimer Bros, P McQuade, H B Owen, RR&Co, RWard & Co, R Baker & Son, T Carrington, T Dunn, S Leiser, S J Pitts, Van Volkenburgh, W G Cameron, W Heathorn, W&JWilson, W G Norris, W M Dingwall, W J Jeffree, W Caton & Co, W Jackson.

DEATHS.

In this city, Nov. 16th, after a short illness, Ada, beloved wife of August Borde, aged 23 years and 1 month, a native of Vancouver Island.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY (Tuesday) from the residence, Chatham street, at 2 o'clock p. m., and from St. John's Church half an hour later.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend

In this city, on the 17th instant, Elizabeth Hellen, only child of James and Celina Mann, aged 1 year, 7 months and 16 days.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

In this city, on the 16th inst., Mary (Cissy), eldest daughter of Elizabeth and Henry Saunders, aged 6 years and 6 months.

MARRIED.

In this city, on the 17th inst., at St. John's Church by the Rev. Canon Dwyer, W. G. Cameron, to Rhoda, second daughter of Thos. J. Partridge, of this city. No Cards.

Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

NOVEMBER 17, 1884.

Ah Joe, care Mackay, Texas Lake, B.C.
A. Byrd, Bay Horse, Idaho
W. Copley, Harris Landing, B.C.
Mrs. M. Cosgrove, Covington, Ky.
R. Crosman, New Westminster
F. W. Curtis, Montesano, W.T.
P. D. Goepel, Nanaimo
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R Kimberly, (Swift-ure) Esquimalt
Peter Peterson, Hanford, Cal.
A. W. Rhodes, Topeka, Kansas
Hessie Robinson, Santa Rosa, Cal.
W. D. Scott & Co., Seattle
Mrs. E. C. Simonds, McMinnville, Ogn.
Mrs. Smith, (Swift-ure) Esquimalt
J. Stockand, Livermore, Cal.
Mrs. M. Taylor, Sydney, N S.W.
Quong, Chong & Co, Seattle
Yee Chung, Kamloops

Marine.

Bark Estrella de Chile, having discharged English cargo in excellent order, is now loading salmon at Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf.

Steamship Mexico, with passengers and mails, sailed at noon yesterday for San Francisco. She had a large passenger list and a full freight.

Steamship Wellington with a cargo of Wellington coal passed yesterday.

The Queen of the Pacific will run in place of the Oregon, to Portland a few weeks. The latter steamer is now receiving a thorough overhauling at San Francisco. After the Oregon, the State of California will be relieved for repairs, after which the Queen will go on the route between San Francisco and Puget Sound again.

S. S. Walla Walla, coal laden, bound for San Francisco, ran ashore near Marrowstone Point, W. T., last Thursday night in a very dense fog. She began to leak, and the captain fearing to go out beyond the straits with his vessel in that condition, put back to Seattle whence he started Thursday. The extent of the damages the Walla Walla received is not known at present.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17—Sailed—British steamer Barnard Castle, Nanaimo; bark Majestic, Nanaimo.

Wedding Bells.

Yesterday morning there was a very pretty wedding in St. John's church, the contracting parties being Mr. W. Cameron, proprietor of the Mechanic's store, and Miss Rhoda Partridge, daughter of John Partridge, Esq., of the City Hall. At 9:30 a. m. a large number of friends assembled at the church, and shortly afterwards the wedding party arrived, and the impressive marriage service of the English Church was celebrated by the Rev. Canon Dwyer. The bride was dressed in pale grey velvet trimmed with chenille and lace, with bonnet to match. The brides maids were Miss Minnie Partridge and Miss May Hiscock, the former being dressed in grey and cardinel silk and the latter in pale blue satin. After a sumptuous breakfast at the residence of the bride's parents, the party proceeded to the steamer for San Francisco and will be absent about a month, visiting various points in California.

Personal.

Mr. R. J. Skinner of Quesnellmouth is at the Driard.

Mr. R. Dunsmuir, M. P. P., went to Nanaimo yesterday.

DEATHS.—Since Sunday's issue there have been two deaths from malarial causes. The first was that of Mrs. Borde, wife of ex-chief Borde, who expired on Sunday, deeply regretted by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance; and Cissy, eldest daughter of Mr. Henry Saunders—a bright little girl of six and a-half years. These deaths are all the more to be deplored when it is remembered that by the exercise of a little care and forethought in the management of the sanitary affairs of the city they might have been prevented. The remains of Mrs. Borde will be buried at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The fire department will attend the funeral in a body.

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BOOTS

AT H. MANSELL'S.

H. M. S. SWIFTSURE went to sea at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning. Salutes were exchanged by the war ships and the dockyard as the flagship steamed out.

What Some People Say.

That in Seattle when a convict won't work they just chain him to a lamppost till he gets hungry, when he invariably knocks under.

That Roscoe Conkling is said to have worked tooth and toenail for the return of Cleveland.

That night prowlers are becoming frequent lately. The police should notify suspicious characters to leave town.

That nevertheless and notwithstanding the high-pressure article in last night's Times, *The Colonist* again pronounces its statement that two *respectable* white girls were found in an opium den by its reporter to be a "sensational, wicked, untruthful and disgraceful" libel on all respectable white girls of Victoria.

That a statistician has found that the average age of men in the past forty years has advanced three years. This is partially due to the toughening qualities in the modern adulteration of food and liquors.

THAT STAFFORD'S OFFICE INK IS ACKNOWLEDGED BEST MADE.

That Birmingham, England, has now the largest railroad station in the world. It is just finished at a cost of $2,000,000.

That two Chinamen in Merced county, Cal., worked together making a coffin, after which they fought a duel with pistols. One of the participants was boxed up in the coffin by the survivor.

That Queen Victoria invariably has her ice cream analyzed by a chemical expert.

That the following Engineer Works are for sale by Hibben & Co.: "Haswell and Roper's Engineer's Handbook;" "Roper's Handbook for Marine Engines;" "Molesworth's Pocketbook of Engineer's Formulæ;" "Hurst's Architectural Surveyor's Handbook;" "Mysterious Mechanics;" "Mechanics' Companion," by Scribner; "The Field Engineer," by Shunk; "Byrne's Railroad Civil Engineer." *

That during October British imports decreased in comparison with October of last year, £4,734,000 and exports decreased £725,000.

That a man has actually been sent to prison in Nova Scotia for three months for lying in a horse trade.

That the small boy who hangs around the parlor and makes faces at his sister's beau should be punished for contempt of court.

THAT FERGUSON & CO. ARE AGENTS FOR STAFFORD'S INKS.

That "what a beautiful thing, my dear, is a rosy cheek!" "Yes, husband, but how great the contrast when the blush settles on the nose."

That it may, perhaps, be just as well to remark that there are times even now when a man forgets all about politics, and one of those times is when he is engaged in a search expedition for the collar-button that has rolled under the bed.—Boston Post.

THAT FERGUSON & CO. ARE OPENING A FINE LINE OF XMAS GOODS.

That it is said that John McCullough has earned over $1,000,000. We have done the same thing, but haven't received the money yet. If some one will lend us $1 we will try to raise the balance of the 000,000 by to-morrow night.—Paris Beacon.

That it is a pretty healthy man who can read a patent medicine almanac without suddenly discovering that he is afflicted with about one hundred and fifty of the two hundred diseases described therein.

THAT FERGUSON'S IS THE PLACE FOR BLANK BOOKS.

That the stern parent said, "Another bad report, my son." "Yes, papa, you must really talk to my teacher or he will keep on doing it!"—Waterloo Observer.

That "a box on the coach is worth two on the ear," said the coachman, as the heiress slapped him for smiling at her.—New York Journal.

That this is a notice posted by a Deadwood husband in a postoffice: "My wife Sarah has Shot my ranche When I didn't Doo a thing Too hur an' I want it distinctly Understood that any man That takes her in an' keers for her On my account Wil get himself pumped so Full of lead that Sum tenderfoot will locate him for a Mineral claime. A word to the wise is sufficient an' orter work on fools. P. Smith."

That at the City House may be found the largest and newest assortment of ladies', Misses' and children's trimmed and untrimmed hats and bonnets, feathers, birds' wings, flowers, millinery ornaments and trimmings to be found in the city.

That the salary of the President is $50,000 and that of the Vice President $10,000, both very insufficient sums. In 1793 the sum was fixed at $25,000, and the increase was made in 1873.

That among the most daring betters on election in New York was Colonel the Shaughnessy, formerly United States Marshal of Utah. The Colonel is a warm friend and admirer of Blaine, and being sanguine of the result, he bet $300,000.

THAT FERGUSON'S IS THE PLACE FOR FINE STATIONERY.

That the English merchants never did a wiser thing than subscribe money (if they did subscribe) towards the election of Cleveland. Not only has the world a guarantee of peace, but many grievous trade restrictions that now hamper commerce will be removed.

That a strange infatuation impels some drivers to plant their vehicles on the crosswalks. Are these worthies aware that they are liable to a fine?

That you should see the West End suits at the I. X. L. *

That a furnished or unfurnished twelve roomed house, with nice garden and orchard is to let in the pleasantest part of the city, ten minutes' walk from the postoffice. For particulars apply at this office. *

That those wishing their names in large type in the B. C. Directory 1884-5 must subscribe before the 30th Nov. next. *

That it is an acknowledged fact, the finest Wines, Brandies and Scotch Whiskies at Boyd's. *

That the WHITE HOUSE will have on view to-day an immense assortment of new season Millinery, Feathers, Flowers, &c. *

That an exceptionally cheap line of Misses' and children's mantles, 21 to 39 inches long, commencing at 87½c. each, is being offered at the City House.

That a frightful social scandal is said to be agitating the Royal City. Between the recent murder, the change of venue, the effigy-burning and this scandal N. W. is becoming quite metropolitan.

That the government guide will go out with another party of intending settlers to-morrow.

That officer Redgrave is slowly recovering from the effects of his injuries.

That the consumption of quinine in this city has increased 1000 per cent. within the past month.

That church bells are going out of use in every American city.

FOR OTHER SHORES.

Peter Haack Departs Suddenly

Leaving Many Mourning Creditors.

Several years ago Peter Haack, a young German, came over from the other side of the pond and took up his residence in Victoria. He at first obtained a situation as dispenser of drinks at a saloon, Yates street, having brought with him a somewhat peculiar reputation, as it was reported that he was shot at in a row in California. Shortly after his arrival here he was concerned in a shooting case on Store street. Early last year he was married to a pretty girl who was an employé in the St. Nicholas Hotel, and shortly afterwards was appointed to the stewardship of the Royal Hospital, his young wife being also engaged as matron. Not very long after his installment stories became current as to his actions in his capacity as steward, it being stated that he would appropriate money one way or another to himself belonging to patients, and also that the food intended for patients he would feed to his chickens. However, nothing positive was discovered until a few months ago, when it was found that he kept a portion of the scavenger's pay back, and he was accordingly discharged. Since the loss of his position he established himself on a pig and chicken ranch, and with his wife's and his own money gathered quite a stock of hogs and fowls, but the presence of so much crowing among the cocks that strutted around his yard did not seem to touch his conscience as it did a namesake of his nearly 2,000 years ago. Everything seemed to prosper; his hogs rolled in fat, and were the envy of all Celestials, while his chickens were of the plumpest kind. Still, it was hard work, and Peter never cared for that. One day, meeting Andrew Donahue in town, he told him that he wanted a reliable man to look after his hogs, and as his friend answered that if there were hogs to attend to he was the man to do it, Peter invited Andy to take a drive out to his ranche and the two proceeded there. Arriving at the place Andy saw the hogs rolling in fat and revelling in their native muddy element, while the chickens, some hundreds, were plumper than ever. "He thought them pretty fine hogs, he did, and would be glad of the opportunity of attending to such respectable looking swine." Peter then asked him if he had any cash and told him he would sell him a half interest. Andy thought the idea a good one and said he would come out again next day, but Peter stated he would be in town and made an appointment to meet him there. Next day Andy came to the place of meeting and after a good deal of wrangling decided to take a half interest in the ranche at $1000, so a legal light drew papers up of that date stating that Andy was to have a half interest in the ranche and all its stock and belongings, whereupon $1000 changed hands. Next day the new partners drove out and Andy was to remain on the ranche. Looking over the place he was amazed at the absence of all the stock, enquired where they had gone, and was informed by Peter that they had been sold the previous day for $800 and that Andy was part owner of a deserted ranche. The latter was going to thrash his partner for his rascality, but Peter checked him out of it, and he had to swallow his bargain as best he might. Since this transaction Peter sold the balance of his interest in the place. This was presumably to buy out the St. Nicholas Hotel in partnership with Mr. McGirr, from whom he secured $500 for the purpose. He also went to a prominent brewer and on plausible representations secured his name to a note for another $500. This was on Saturday last. He immediately went to a local shaver of notes and for a liberal discount got the note cashed. Previous to this he purchased a handsome trunk from a Yates street dealer, a nobby suit from a Fort street tailor, and half-a-dozen pairs of shoes from a Fort street shoemaker, determined to place himself in want of nothing that would add to his respectability. Through his wife he also received shoes from a Government street store, and about $100 worth of dry goods from a Yates street merchant. He likewise got credit wherever he could in small amounts, but the aggregate would be considerable. Some parties in the meantime were suspicious of his intentions and had the steamers watched. Whatever means he took for conveying himself from the hospitable shores of Vancouver, yesterday morning there were dozens of anxious creditors who had heard rumors of his departure besieging the house where he and his young wife and infant child had taken rooms. He was not to be found, and they will now have to add greater or lesser items to profit and loss account. It is supposed that Peter has taken a canoe over to Roche Harbor, and is now enjoying himself under the stars and stripes, leaving his wife and child to look after themselves, he having, it is believed, taken every cent belonging to her.

It seems passing strange that this smooth-tongued rascal, who has had a questionable reputation, should have cheated so many of our business men.

This is only one more case to prove that the extradition law should be changed so as to include such individuals in its scope. There is not much prospect that Peter will return or send for his young wife, and she will have the sympathy of all in her trying position.

Taking into account the sale of the ranche, the amount of the notes, and the numerous small bills incurred all over the town, and probably large ones that are not yet known, and cash on hand, Peter must have got away with between $3,000 and $4,000. This is another warning for our merchants to use more caution in their dealings with irresponsible parties, and in this special case it appears almost incredible that so much trust should have been given.

NEARLY DROWNED.—Mr. M. B. Atkinson, representative of Shorey & Co., Montreal, while about to go on board a steamer at the wharf on Sunday evening, in the dark, fell between the boat and the wharf into the water. He swam to the side of the steamer and clung to her until his cries attracted the attention of two of the hands, who looped a rope and passed it around his body, by which means he was drawn on board. Had Mr. Atkinson struck the rail or side of the boat in his descent, or had he not been a good swimmer, he would have been drowned. As matters resulted he escaped without serious injury. Attention has been called by the press to the absence of lights on the wharves. This is the second instance within a month where life has nearly been sacrified through a similar cause.

NIGHT PROWLERS.—A man who tried to force his way into a dwelling on Church Hill at 12½ o'clock Sunday night was frightened away by the occupant, who threatened to fire at him with a pistol. As the man turned to fly a passing citizen seized but subsequently released him.

Rev. Joseph Cook.

This eminent man will lecture at Philharmonic Hall on the "Failures of Unbelief" this evening. Seats may be secured at Ferguson & Co.'s next to the postoffice. President Bateman of the Galesburg College, Illinois, says of Mr. Cook's eloquence and earnestness: "No other platform speaker stirs me as he does. He has all the essential elements of a powerful and convincing orator,—a fluent and trenchant diction; a ringing, penetrating, and well controlled voice; an intellect of extraordinary robustness and grasp; a logic keen, incisive, and relentless; vast treasures of information and learning, both practical and speculative; rare powers of imagery and illustration; and, back of all, and best of all, a sturdy moral honesty, and that tremendous force which comes only from a consciousness of profound and intense conviction. You feel that you are listening to a man who is voicing truths which he himself believes with all his soul and with all his might, even as he believes in the light of day and in God."

Municipal Police Court.

Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.

MONDAY, Nov. 17th.

Mrs. Jackson, alias Mrs. Taylor, was charged with vagrancy. The woman did not put in an appearance and $10 bail was forfeited.

Wah Saw Lung, a Chinaman, was charged with aiming a loaded pistol at Ah Hang, a brother Celestial. Mr. Walls, who appeared for the accused, obtained his discharge on the ground that there was not sufficient evidence

NAVAL.—The naval scare in England of a few weeks ago has been turned into disgust by the disclosure that the great and costly ship Agamemnon, a double-screw armored vessel, with guns of enormous calibre, can only be steered when the screws are not moving; her rudder is absolutely useless when the two screws are in motion. The Agamemnon will accordingly have to be converted into a single screw ship at a cost of $500,000. This discovery has redoubled the outcry against the impotent blundering of the Admiralty.

PRINTERS' STRIKE.—The compositors employed on the Standard struck work on Sunday night. The foreman continued at his post until yesterday when he, too, quit. It is said that the office is indebted to the hands; but that the real reason for the strike is an infraction of the rules of the typographical union.

Nurseries.

TO THE EDITOR:—Pray, Mr. Editor, what has Mr. Mitchell done that his profession as a nurseryman should be ignored by your penny-a-liner in yesterday's issue? If the writer had been better posted on the subject of which he writes, he would find that H. M. has been in the business here since 1868, and is so still; and further he has introduced, propagated and distributed more trees, shrubs, and plants of all kinds, commencing in 1862, than any other nurseryman in the province.

H. MITCHELL.

November 17, 1884.

The Killing of Carey.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—It will be recollected that O'Donnell, who murdered the approver Carey on his way to the Cape, asserted to the last that he fired the fatal shot in self-defense, and that he was not an avenger in the service of any secret society. It is now stated that the government has in its possession evidence that O'Donnell was furnished with arms and money, and was sent on the voyage with Carey on the express mission to kill him.

THE FULL STRENGTH of the British cavalry if 15,000; of France, 60,000; of Germany, 70,000; of Russia, 84,000. It will be seen from these figures that the cavalry of the United Kingdom is but one fourth as numerous as that of France, and its strength is less than one-fifth of the cavalry of Russia. The United Kingdom cannot, therefore, be considered in any sense a military power. The position of Great Britian and her constitution are unfavorable to military aggression as against the other civilized countries of the world. It is well that it is so, for her accumulated wealth goes largely into industrial enterprises, which serve to give employment to her population, instead of going toward keeping a large proportion of her men in idleness. The increase of population is largely dependent upon the means of subsistence, and as a consequence the United Kingdom is growing much more rapidly in wealth and population than any other country of Europe.

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BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

ENGLAND.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 17.—Weather in England frosty; on the continent, cold. Wheat quiet and steady; corn, firm.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—John Bright, in a long letter favoring free trade, argues that since its adoption by England the price of food and hours of labor have diminished while wages have doubled. He says although trade in England is momentarily depressed the depression is far greater in protection countries like Russia, France and America. He concludes by saying that the recent overthrow of the party of protection and monopoly in America may prove to be a great blessing, and when England and America have embraced the policy of free industry the whole fabric of monopoly throughout the world will totter to its downfall.

EASTERN STATES.

ALBANY, Nov. 17.—President elect Cleveland's callers to-day were numerous. There was a constant stream in and out of the executive chamber all day. The state board of canvassers meet at the capitol on Wednesday. Official returns will be received from only 40 of 60 counties in the state, and the board will probably take a recess for a day or two in order to allow further returns to be received before proceeding with the canvass.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 17.—Robert McHun, alias Boyce, who was arrested, charged with forgery in Calcutta, is in jail here. He desires to be taken to Calcutta immediately, and in charge of Officer Webb, who identified him, and will start in a few days. Boyce admits forgeries to the amount of about $100,000 on the Calcutta Tea Co., of which he was director.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Judge Barrett, of the supreme court, this afternoon discharged John L. Sullivan and Alf. Greenfield on a charge of having made arrangements for a prize light. The judge decided there was nothing illegal in the agreement, and the sparring exhibition will take place to-morrow night.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 17.—The Journal's Omaha despatch says: At Blue Hill, in this county, last evening, Joe Cook, the murderer, was taken from jail and hung to a derrick. The sheriff appeared and rescued the prisoner before death ensued; but his injuries will probably be fatal.

ST. JOE, Mo., Nov. 17.—The Herald's investigation of the train robbery, alleged to have taken place near Quitman, proves the report to have been a canard, having originated with two operators as a joke.

BOSTON, Nov. 17.—Ship Anahuac, owned by Wm. F. Weld, is lying at Laurabia bound for Australia. It is reported that Captain Freeman and first officer have died of cholera.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, Nov. 17.—The numbers of the various parties elected to the reichstag this year are as follows: Conservatives 72, a gain of 20; free conservatives, 29, a gain of 5, ultramontanes, 100, a gain of 2; national liberals, 54, a gain of 9; German liberals 68, a loss of 39; South German democrats 7, a loss of 2; social democrats 24, a gain of 11; Poles 16, a loss of 2; Danes 10, a loss of 1; Guelps 8, unchanged; Alsatians 15, unchanged. The reichstag contains a strong protectionist majority.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, Nov. 17.—Socialist prints have been found in the kits of soldiers of the Enge regiment at Olmutz and 50 arrests followed.

EGYPT.

DONGOLA, Nov. 17.—Another letter has been received from Gen. Gordon appointing the Mudir of Gondola a Pasha and general.

MEXICO.

MEXICO via Galveston, Nov. 17.—The bill for the conversion of the English debt is extremely unpopular. Fears of manifestations against it are entertained, and the cavalry and mounted police patrol the streets.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—Tom Cleary at Pat. Foley met to-night at the Wigwam in a glove contest, Marquis of Queensberry rules, for a purse of $300. Both forced the fighting from the beginning. At the end of a minute and a half Cleary landed two blows in rapid succession on Foley's jaw, sending him to grass. Foley failing to come to time at the end of ten seconds, the time allowed for recovery, the fight was declared in favor of Cleary.

Wall Street Wedlock.

C. P. Huntington, whose recent marriage is the latest appearance of Wall street in wedlock, will probably during the coming season make an attempt for a first-class social position. This will not be difficult for the vice-president of the Central Pacific Road. He was one of its builders, and made an immense fortune out of its contracts, and he has been able to retain his position as vice-president, while Sidney Dillon (president of the Union Pacific) was obliged to resign. When Central Pacific was above par Huntington was estimated at $15,000,000. He began poor, and now that he is rich he likes to talk about the time when $50 a month was big wages. He has a splendid house on Park avenue, to which he will bring his bride at the close of their present tour. Stocks began to advance the very day this wedding took place. What an omen to future happiness! These Wall street marriages are very successful. Commodore Vanderbilt, for instance, left his widow $800,000 in bonds, which yield an income of $1,000 a week. August Belmont settled a fortune on his wife, including a Fifth Avenue palace. The old Commodore is now merely a memory, and Wall street abounds in similar associations.—*Cor. Cincinnati Enquirer.*

A very unpleasant sect to disagree with is a new religious body whose existence has within a few months come to light in the Crimea. Members deem it their duty to kill, on the earliest opportunity, those who differ with them.

German physicians are claimed by many to be the most skilful in the world. They study thirteen years, in an ordinary college for five years, then attend a medical school six years, and end up with two years in a hospital.

Experiments with the electric light in coal mines, made in Pennsylvania, have been quite encouraging. It is believed the use of the new light in place of the miner's lamp will reduce the liability of mines to fire-damp explosions.

Eastern Canada Mail

Per Northern Pacific Railway.

TORONTO, Nov. 7.—Yesterday evening a youth named Thos. Chapman, aged 14, residing at 86 Duke-street, was arrested by P. C. Martin, of No. 4 Precinct, upon a warrant charging him with an intent to kill Mr. J. Herbert Mason, of Sherbourne-street. The alleged offense was committed at Rosedale on Thursday. It appears that the accused in company with other boys was out celebrating Thanksgiving Day, Chapman being armed with a revolver. Mr. Mason states that while walking with friends he was deliberately shot at by the prisoner, the bullet passing within two feet of his head. There does not appear, so far as can be learned, any ill-feeling between the prosecutor and the accused, and the motive, if any for a deliberate attempt to kill has yet to be learned. When arrested the boy stated that he was out shooting with his companions, and having a cartridge left in the revolver he fired at a stump, not knowing at the time that any one was near. He denied that he shot at Mr. Mason.

The Scott Act was carried yesterday in the county of Renfrew by over five hundred majority, with several places to hear from.

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 8.—Jno. C. Haliburton, clerk of the legislative council of Nova Scotia for many years, died this morning at the advanced age of 78 years. Mr. Haliburton was the eldest and only surviving son of the late Sir Brenton Haliburton, Chief Justice of this province. He was a man well known in this community and highly respected. In the early part of his life before the ancient code of honor had entirely expired, Mr. Haliburton fought a duel with the late Hon. Joseph Howe, which fortunately was attended with no serious results, Mr. Haliburton owing his escape it is stated to the generosity of his opponent, who was said to be an expert pistol shot. Mr. Howe discharged his weapon in the air.

TORONTO, Nov. 8.—The personality of the late John Riordon was sworn under $460,000, while the value of the real and personal property is not less than $1,000,000. The widow receives an annuity of $12,000 for life and the family residence at St. Catharines. Charles Riordon, the testator's brother, gets half of the mill property at Merritton. A considerable legacy is bequeathed to the testators's sisters, Mrs. W. J. Douglas and Mrs. Carlisle; and to Mrs. Missener, Buffalo, his widow's sister. John Riordon, the only child, gets $4,000 per annum till he is 25, when the remainder of the estate passes into his hands. John Green, an old servant, gets $2000.

WESTON, Ont., Nov. 7.—Yesterday afternoon Geo. Shaver, a medical student and a member of the Weston high school football club, had his leg broken by a kick while playing a match with the Clareville club.

TORONTO, Nov. 9.—Early yesterday morning the premises of Musson & McKenzie, varnish manufacturers, were burglarized and an unsuccessful attempt made to blow open the safe with gunpowder. The noise had evidently frightened the burglars away as a second attempt had not been made.

Major General Middleton was dined by the officers of the Queen's Own at the National Club last night, and by the officers of the Royal Grenadiers at the Toronto club to-night. He has created a most favorable impression among the volunteers here.

MONTREAL, Nov. 8.—Messrs. Hailey Bros., stationers, of this city, have assigned.

HAMILTON, Nov. 9.—Two weeks ago, H. P. Walker broke his ankle, and despite all the doctors could do, died yesterday from jockjaw.

OTTAWA, Nov. 8.—The square timber outlook in the woods this winter is unfavorable, and other kinds of lumbering promise only slightly better. For the first time in twenty-seven years Mr. Peter McLaren will take out no square timber this winter, having last season's yet unsold in Quebec, with no market offering.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Wm. Martison, an old man addicted to liquor, hanged himself in a stable near Komoka.

OTTAWA, Nov. 8.—From the published statement of the revenue and expenditure on account of the Consolidated Fund, as shown by returns furnished the finance department up to the 31st of October, is seen that the revenue was $2,828,562, and the expenditure $2,603,037. The revenue for the same month last year was $3,109,405, showing a decrease for the past month of $280,843. In regard to expenditure there is an increase of $156,685 for the past month.

QUEBEC, Nov. 9.—The supposed suicide of Blanchet at Montmorency, proves to be a farce. It appears that after leaving his hat on the bank he skipped to the United States, taking $180 belonging to his father. A woman, it is said, has gone with him.

The exodus of ship and other laborers from Quebec this fall to seek employment in the southern and part of American and the Canadian lumber woods is altogether unprecedented. It is said nearly the whole population along the coast, and hundreds of others from other parts of the city and neighborhood who never went away before, either have gone or are intending to go.

HALIFAX, Nov. 7.—Miss Wright and Miss Gray have sailed from here as Baptist missionaries for Telugu, India.

LONDON, Nov. 8.—A little daughter of Mr. Fred Howes was thrown from her father's wagon yesterday and badly crushed by the wheels passing over her.

St. Paul's church, which was built during the early portion of Bishop Cronyn's incumbency, about 1884, will be consecrated on Wednesday next, the debt of the church not being wiped out until a few weeks ago.

It is announced that the creditors of the Fawcett estate will be notified by circular on Monday or Tuesday, the 17th or 18th of November, to attend a meeting called for the purpose of submitting a statement in reference to the standing of the estate.

Washed Ashore.

CAPE BRETON, N. S., Nov. 14.—The body of Captain Ormstew, of the wrecked schooner Charles Valentine, was washed askore at Wing Point. The flesh was off the face; the shirt and boots were on. The body of the mate, with the head off, was also cast ashore. Portions of two other bodies, supposed to be the cook, John McIdtyre, and a seaman, John N. Gillis, were found with the heads off both and McIntyre's feet off. Two feet, with shoes on, supposed to be McIntyre's, were also picked up.

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GLEANINGS.

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An "experienced physician" is quoted as saying that there is a grave waiting not far ahead for children who are "never hungry for breakfast."

The new reservoir of Richmond, Va., holds 40,000,000 gallons of water, while its population requires daily for cooking and drinking 200,000 gallons.

Over $5,000 have been raised in penny contributions to the monument of Peter Cooper. The committee now call for suggestions from artists and sculptors.

It is estimated that the population of the United States to-day is about 57,000,000. Dr. Loring predicts that at the close of the present century it will be 100,000,000.

One of the largest sheets of plate glass ever imported has been placed in position in Pittsburg. The plate measures 186 inches by 104 inches, and is without a single flaw.

A strong decoction of the leaves and stems of tomato plants is said to be deadly to caterpillars, lice and other enemies of vegetation without being injurious to the plants.

Walla Walla, W. T., can boast of wo Chinamen who are entitled to vote, Shoo Fly and Andrew Johnson. Both were born in that city, and are consequently native born citizens.

Dr. Pratt, of London, is authority for the statement that between the ages of twenty-five and thirty there are six deaths to the thousand among married men and ten among bachelors.

Paper is made in France from the hop vine, and it is claimed that the fiber secured is the best substitute for rags yet obtained, as it possesses great length, strength, flexibility and delicacy.

In the Empire of Morocco there is only one subscriber to a newspaper. He is the Emperor. As soon as there are two or three more it is likely some Yankee will happen along and start a paper.

One of the most remarkable collections of mineral springs is Catoosa Springs, in North Georgia. There are fifty-two springs, nearly all different in character, within the space of a two-acre plat.

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BEAUTIES OF THE HAREM.

Wives and Odalisques—Abyssinian Brunettes.

[Constantinople Letter.]

There are French women living as odalisques in many of the wealthier harems, and possibly specimens from others of the southern nations. But there are no German or English women, so far as known. With the large majority of native females the prevailing tint is yellow. Nine out of ten of them are pigeon-toed and all the blondes have freckles. They never wither and dry up in growing old, as do the nations to the north and west, but fatten and grow oily, developing ridges where there ought to be hollows, growing at the edges and settling in height, until at early womanhood they have no more shape or figure than a Hubbard squash.

If I were to have my choice of the whole invoice, I should take an Abyssinian brunette. They are divinely tall and slender and black as the ace of spades. The features are clearly cut and regular, the eyes liquid and the lips red and full. The hair is black and waving, but somewhat coarse in fiber. They dress in pure white, and the black face and red lips against the white setting of the burnous give an effect that is as enchanting as a picture.

On fete days the women who are able sport gayly colored hose and pointed slippers of red and yellow leather, walking on wooden pattens to keep them out of the filth. But the Abyssinian women seem to prefer going barefoot, and thus betray the one peculiarity that stamps them as daughters of Ham. Their ankles are about as big round as a rolling-pin, and it is ankle all the way up to their knees. The leg is set exactly in the middle of the foot, which is very low and flat. This African trade-mark is, as I have said before, somewhat of a blemish, and tends to lower the quotations for them with some people.

On the street the women are models of propriety. They never speak to a man on such occasions, though they will stare at a foreigner with simple and childlike curiosity. Fiancee are allowed to walk and talk together, and it is the correct thing for accepted lovers to serenade their dulcineas in the evening with a guitar. This latter custom seems to be in the nature of a final test of the strength of the bride's attachment. Certainly, from what I heard, if she can stand his music with composure, there are few trials as bad that will come to her in after life, unless he sings again. There has been the same loosening of rigidity of late years in the matter of women going abroad alone as in other lines of Turkish conduct. To read the old statutes one would think the lines very hardly drawn. Thus in the time of Mourad III the women were forbidden to wear bright colors, or ride in a caique without their husbands, and if a woman was found on the streets alone it was the duty of every good Mouradia to stop her, reprove her and order her to go home.

To-day the statutes are less severe, but in dead earnest so far as they do go. But the women are more careful, and though they are seen everywhere, riding in the cars, buying in the bazars and lunching quietly in the cemeteries, they never venture to speak to a stranger in the street and if they have lovers at all it is in the closest secrecy and entirely under the rose.

How Socrates Prolonged His Life.

[Denver Tribune.]

Hippocrates, the Greek physician, was great on the subject of diet and ventillation. One day he met Socrates, who said:

"O, Hippocrates, they tell me that you are what is called by the Arkadians a diet sharp. Are these things true?"

"They are true," said Hippocrates.

"Then in the name of the gods give us a breeze on the subject," continued Socrates.

"Health," replied Hippocrates, "can only be preserved by a due observance of nature's laws. These are the first things which should be taught to children. Our children should be taught not to eat animal food, as it unduly excites the ganglionic system; not to eat excessively of vegetables, because of the bad effect upon the kidneys; not to wear anything tight about the waist; to bathe every day three hours after the noon meal and three before the evening; not to drink anything but water, and that neither cold nor warm; they should be taught to watch their own symptoms, and when the respiration and circulation become abnormally—"

"In truth, in truth," interrupted Socrates, "you speak that which is reasonable. Our children should be taught all these things, and then if they didn't die before they were 14 they would before they were 14½. Yours for health, Socrates Pinkham." And it now being about midnight the great truthseeker rolled off to a restaurant after his regular Welsh rarebit and mince-pie.

Socrates died at the advanced age of 87 from an overdose of hemlock which he took to quiet the nerves of the Athenian people. On his deathbed he said to his disciples who stood weeping about him: "I owe my long life to regular rarebit and neglect of hygiene."

After Death.

[Chronicle "Undertones."]

I don't want to be buried when I die. It is not because I am proud. I don't want to be preserved or embalmed. Very simply, I want to be cremated. I don't believe I shall want these bones and things again after I have once laid them down. I have an obscure impression that they are not intended to be scraped and sandpapered, oiled and fixed up for the judgment day, and so I respectfully request, that as I have never occupied much room in this world, nobody will pay rent for a place to keep me after I am dead. Very honestly, I don't see any particular glory in being buried with a brass band and put away in an expensive box. Invest the money in reducing me to the most convenient and condensed size, plant a violet in the flower pot that contains my ashes and let me be of some use, even if it be but to fill an ornamental vase on a window sill.

Literary Criticism.

[Texas Siftings.]

Old Simpkins is what might be called a comical old cuss. A literary friend invited him to take a glass of wine in an Austin restaurant.

"Have you read my two last poems?" asked the literary friend.

"Yes, I have read them," replied old Simpkins, with a sigh.

"Well, tell me now, candidly, how do you like them?"

"Candidly?"

"O, certainly."

"The first of these two poems is absolutely worthless, and the second one is not quite up to the standard of the first one."

George F. Frelinghuysen: There is plenty of chance left for inventive beings to reap a rich reward if they will only patent an invention instead of inventing a patent.

Rendering Aniline Harmless.

[Exchange.]

The poisonous properties of stockings dyed with the orilliant aniline dyes are rendered harmless by dipping the articles in a bath of rubber dissolved in naphtha or some other reagent. Subsequent evaporation covers each fiber with a thin film of rubber, and so prevents the transfer of the coloring material from the goods to the skin.

D'Argens: The prejudices of men emanate from the mind and may be overcome; the prejudices of women emanate from the heart and are impregnable.

Editorial Penmanship.

[William Washburn.]

Everybody knows that Horace Greeley used to "write a fist" that was the terror of those Tribune compositors who had not learned to descipher it. None of the leading editors of New York at the present time resemble him in this respect. The chirography of Charles A. Dana, of The Sun, is like copperplate. Joseph Pulitzer, of The World, writes a bold, clear hand. Whitelaw Reid, of The Tribune, has a hand as clear as print, though he often runs his words into each other. Mr. Sandison, of The Star, has the hand of a writing master. Albert Pulitzer, of The Morning Journal, turns off script that you can read as you run. Charles Nordhoff, of The Herald, models his characters upon the most approved pattern, and does not stint his ink. Parke Godwin, of The Commercial Advertiser, wields the pen of an artist. His two rivals on the evening press, Godkin of The Post and Bundy of The Mail, write in a crabbed hand, which, however, the printers learn to read by practice. As I have never seen the manuscript of Miller of The Times or Connery of Truth, I can tell nothing about it. John Swinton, ex-editor of The Times and The Sun, writes a hand that makes compositors fight for his "copy."

While the chirography of all the New York editors of the present time may thus be described, it must be added that Murat Halstead of The Commercial Gazette of Cincinnati is the most hideous penman on the American continent, the legitimate successor, in this respect, of Horace Greeley. In Chicago, there is an editor, Henry D. Lloyd, of The Chicago Tribune, whose handwriting is perfection, and bears a remarkable resemblance to the late Henry J. Raymond, of The New York Times.

Food Fishes of Lake Erie.

[Exchange.]

In a paper read before the Buffalo Naturalists' Field club it is stated that Lake Erie and the Niagara river furnish thirty-seven marketable varieties of fish. But their numbers are becoming rapidly reduced in those waters, owing in great measure to so many fish being taken when they are full of roe. Some fish spawn late in the fall; the eastern salmon, salmon-trout, whitefish, brook-trout and lake-herring belong to this class, but the majority spawn in April, May or early June. Black bass choose a place for their spawn-beds where the water is shallow and the bottom is a sandy gravel. They leave their winter quarters in deep water a month or six weeks previous to spawning. The eggs hatch in from one to two weeks, according to the temperature.

Bass are very prolific, yielding fully one-fourth their weight of spawn. The bass and the muskallonge are the recognized game-fish of the lakes. White fish do not take the bait readily, but are caught in gillnets, and can be taken in great numbers just at the time they are ready to spawn. They average three and a half pounds in weight, though some are taken weighing ten to eighteen pounds. Sturgeon average fifty pounds, but occasionally one is caught that weighs a hundred pounds or over. Fish differ greatly in rapidity of growth. Some grow in one, two or three years to a definite size, and then growth seems to be arrested. Such fish are short-lived. Other kinds, which slowly and steadily increase in size, attain a great age. Pike have been known to be over 100 years old.

Advice to Young Voters.

[Boston Transcript.]

Young man, you will vote for the first time next November. I don't want to influence you, but candor compels me to say that if you do not heed my words, and you contribute to the election of any candidate but the one I vote for, you may take my word the country is ruined. I don't care what you call yourself so long as you vote my ticket. There are good men in every party, but more in my party than in any other, and you should choose impartially. Only I don't want to see you walk up to the polls and cast your first vote with the party—

That threw banana peels on the sidewalk;

That composed "Sweet Violets;"

That struck William Patterson and then hid itself from just vengeance in a cloud of anonymity;

That wrote "Beautiful Snow;"

That invented walking matches;

That slandered George Washington by naming the pie after him;

That learns to play the violin with the window open;

That imparted the secret of selling a mugful of froth for a mugful of beer; and

That told the policeman that somebody was being murdered in your house when your sister-in-law was singing.

Just choose for yourself; but keep away from the party that indorses the above platform.

Actors' Earnings in the Last Century

[London World.]

An item in Mr. Julian Marshall's library on sale at Messrs. Sotheby's, affords an opportunity for seeing the payments made to actors at Covent Garden theatre in 1740-41. I notice that Ryan received 25 shilling a night, Delane 30 shillings, Cibber 20 shillings, Hippisley 20 shillings, Denoyer 30 shillings a night, Hallam 23 shillings 4 pence, Rich 16 shillings 8 pence. Of the gentler sex, Barbarini got 42 shillings, Horton 30 shillings, Woffington 17 shillings 6 pence, Rowland 13 shillings 4 pence, Bellamy 10 shillings. Compare these payments with present-day prices. A popular Thespian now gets for a single performance as large a sum as his forefathers obtained for a whole season. For instance, Mme. Judic's contract for 210 coming performances in the states will bring her 42,000 pounds sterling. M. Capoul is also to receive 8 pounds sterling a night, M. Baron 40 pounds sterling.

Introducing the Chaplain.

[Inter Ocean "Curbstone Crayons."]

"Speaking of troopers swearing," put in an officer of Van Cleve's old division of the Army of the Cumberland, "old Gen. Fred Knefler, of the Seventy-ninth Indiana, illustrated the idea to a nicety. He always made a full hand without raising the perspiration. He swore easily, earnestly, and eloquently, in season and out of season. And when Governor Morton sent a chaplain to Knefler's regiment, the boys looked for rare fun. Knefler received the chaplain very cordially, and asked him to mark out his programme, and he would see that it was carried out.

"The next morning (Sunday) he ordered his regiment to muster for religious services. He formed the companies in column at half distance, doubled on the center, in front of a stand which he had had erected the day before, and then he proceeded in his own way to introduce the chaplain. He informed the men that he proposed to stand by the chaplain; the chaplain was going to preach whenever he felt so inclined, and by the Lord Harry every blanked man in the regiment had to listen. He wanted his men to show proper respect to the chaplain and to religion and if they didn't so help him blazes if he didn't send every blanked one of them to the guard-house.

"The colonel warmed up to his work and in the course of his introductory remarks swore probably twenty times. The whole thing was so funny that one company, thinking over it, burst into a roar in the midst of the prayer. The colonel put the officers under arrest, but made the men stand through the service. In the end the chaplain did great good. Knefler quit swearing and the men kept to a good line of conduct. The colonel was so good a soldier that every one liked him. He was in the hottest work on the left at Stone River and he it was that ordered a battery to the skirmish line at Chickamauga."

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Victoria, B.C., 21st Oct., 1884. oc21

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT WE INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small Island, containing 4 acres of land, in Shoal Bay, opposite Section 16

HENRY BRACKMAN,
DAVID R. KER.

North Saanich, B.C., Sept. 29th, 1884. oc1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of land on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, described as follows:—From the N.E. post of Lot 7, Group I., 92.50 chains south to the S.E. post of Lot 7, Group I.; thence east, 1800; thence north to the N. W. post of J. M. L. Alexander's pre-emption; thence westerly to the original starting point.

EGREMONT E. SHEARBURN.

9th October, 1884. oc18 2m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND MAKING application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 500 acres (more or less) of pastoral land situated in the Osoyoos District and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake near Johnson Creek, in the west side of Rock Creek, marked "H.N.'s N.W. corner;" thence running S.E. about 1½ miles; thence S. W. ½ mile; thence N.W. 1½ miles; thence N.E. ½ mile, to point of commencement.

HENRY NICHOLSON.

Victele River, B.C., Aug. 28th, 1884. se24

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of GEORGE PLATZ, Deceased.

ANY PERSON HAVING A CLAIM AGAINST the estate of the said deceased is required to forward the same, on or before the 1st day of December next; and all persons who are indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith to

GEO. PLATZ,
Yates street, Victoria.

Dated Victoria, 25th Oct., 1884. oc26

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE BILLS, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North American Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such a Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a draw-bridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

THORNTON FELL,
se19tf Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

CITY OF VICTORIA

MUNICIPAL

REAL ESTATE TAX

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL REAL ESTATE TAX REMAINING UNPAID ON AND AFTER THE 30TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1884 WILL BEAR AND BE CHARGEABLE WITH INTEREST AT THE RATE OF ONE PER CENT. PER MONTH UNTIL PAID.

BY ORDER OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector.

Victoria, B. C., 31st Oct., 1884. no1

ASSESSMENT ACT.

COURT OF REVISION AND APPEAL FOR THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF VICTORIA CITY, VICTORIA AND ESQUIMALT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COURT will sit as follows:

For the Electoral District of Victoria City—At the Legislative Hall, James' Bay, on Monday, the 15th, and Tuesday, the 16th day of December, 1884, at 11 o'clock a. m.

For the Electoral District of Victoria—At the "Royal Oak," on Monday, the 8th day of December, 1884, at 11 o'clock a. m.; and at Henry Simpson's, South Saanich, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon.

For the Electoral District of Esquimalt—At Henry Price's, Parson's Bridge, on Friday, the 12th day of December, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon

Dated at Victoria this 12th day of November, 1884.

S. PERRY MILLS,
Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal.

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G. R. T. BAKER.

North Saanich, Nov. 4th, 1884. no5w1m

NOTICE TO JURORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ROLL of Grand and Petty Jurors who have been summoned for the ensuing Assize, to be held at the Supreme Court House, James Bay, on MONDAY, the 24th day of Nov., inst., will be called over at 11 o'clock a. m., and all persons will be expected to answer to their names. Petty Jurors failing to answer will be liable to lose their day's pay and subject themselves to be fined.

By order. THOS. HARRIS,
Sheriff.

Victoria, Nov. 14th, 1884. no15

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for the payments to be made to me.

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New Westminster	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
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Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Acting Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
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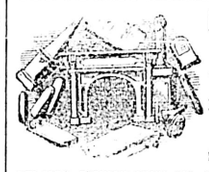

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Dated Granville, Oct. 16th, 1884. oc19 1m

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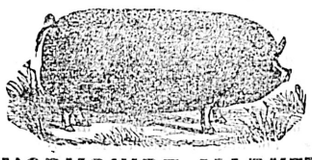

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